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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF OREGON

MARYKAY RITTER,

Plaintiff,

vs.

COMMISSIONER, SOCIAL SECURITY
ADMINISTRATION

Defendant.

Civil No. 3:21-cv-01463-AA

ORDER FOR ATTORNEY FEES
PURSUANT TO THE EQUAL
ACCESS TO JUSTICE ACT

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Plaintiff is awarded attorney fees in the amount of \$8,700.00 (Eight Thousand Seven Hundred Dollars) and costs for filing fees in the amount of \$400.00 (Four Hundred Dollars) pursuant to the Equal Access to Justice Act (EAJA), 28 U.S.C.

§ 2412, subject to any offset as described in *Astrue v. Ratliff*, 130 S.Ct. 2521 (2010). Any checks shall be mailed to the business address of Plaintiff's counsel: Maren Miller Bam, Salus Law, PLLC, 8513 W. 9th Avenue, Kennewick, WA, 99336. If it is determined that Plaintiff's EAJA fees are not subject to any offset allowed under the Department of the Treasury's Offset Program, the check for EAJA fees shall be made payable to Salus Law, PLLC based upon Plaintiff's assignment of these amounts to Plaintiff's attorney.

IT IS SO ORDERED this 5th day of October 2022.

/s/Ann Aiken

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

Submitted by:

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